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1. (currently amended) A compound of Formula I:

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or prodrug thereof, wherein:

 R^{1} is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , or a-5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{1b} , wherein said C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl is saturated or unsaturated; and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1c} and is saturated or unsaturated;

each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR¹⁰, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)₂R¹⁰, NR¹¹R¹², acetyl, C(=O)OR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5 to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵, a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶ and is saturated or unsaturated, and a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶;

each R^{1b} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, acetyl, =0, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, CF_3 and OCF_3 ;

each R^{1e} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, =O, C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, CF_3 , OCF_3 , $C(=O)R^{10}$, $S(=O)_2R^{10}$, tBoc, Cbz; phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵; a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵;

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 R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1- to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{2a} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, and -S(=O)₂-, a C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, a C_2 - C_6 alkynyl, a C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} , wherein said C_3 - C_7 -cycloalkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from -O , -S , and -S(=O)₂-, and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

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each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} , and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^3 is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl; subscript n is 0 or 1;

 R^4 is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_6 alkyl; alternatively, R^2 and R^4 are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 -cycloalkyl substituted with $0.2 R^{19}$;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkyne, phenyl substituted with 0-2 R^{15} ; 5– to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} ; and a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)_2- and -N R^{17} -;

Y is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond and $-(CR^{20}R^{21})_m - W - (CR^{22}R^{23})_p -;$

subscript p is 1 or 2;

subscript m is 0 or 1;

W is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond, -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)₂- and -NR 12 -;

X is selected from the group consisting of -C(=O)-, -OC(=O)-, -NR 24 C(=O)- and -S(=O)₂-;

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each of R^6 , R^7 , R^8 and R^9 is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^5 and R^7 are taken together to form a C_5 C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with $0.2 R^{19}$;

alternatively, R⁵ and R⁹ are taken together to form a 6-7 membered heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

Ar is a member selected from the group consisting of phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{29} ;

each R^{10} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, a C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{25} , and a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} ; a 5—to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{16} ;

each R^{11} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, tBOC , Cbz, C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl, $(C_1$ - C_6 alkyl)-C(=O)-, $(C_1$ - C_6 alkyl)- $S(=O)_2$ - and a C_1 - C_6 alkyl; each of R^{12} , R^{13} and R^{14} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^{13} and R^{14} on the same N atom are taken together to form a C_5 C_4 heterocycle containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

each R^{15} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, COOR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, acetyl, -SCH₃, -S(=O)CH₃, -S(=O)₂CH₃, NR²⁶R²⁷, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkyl, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkoxy and a C₁-C₆ alkyl;

each R¹⁶ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, COOR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, acetyl, -SCH₃, -S(=O)CH₃, -S(=O)₂CH₃, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, NR²⁶R²⁷, and a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group

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consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, and a C₃ C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵ and is saturated or unsaturated;

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R¹⁷ is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C₁-C₄ alkyl; each R¹⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, CN, NO₂, C(=O)OR³⁰, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, NR¹¹R¹², a C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkyl, a C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkoxy, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵ and is saturated or unsaturated; and C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl;

each R^{19} is a independently a member selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, F, Cl and C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, CF_3 and OCF_3 ;

alternatively, two R^{19} on the same carbon may be combined to form C_3 - C_6 -cycloalkyl; each of R^{20} , R^{21} , R^{22} and R^{23} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a bond, H, F, OH, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and C_1 - C_3 alkylhydroxy;

alternatively, R^{20} and R^{21} or R^{22} and R^{23} are taken together to form a C_3 - C_6 eyeloalkyl;

R²⁴ is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C₁-C₄ alkyl; each R²⁵ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₃-C₇ cycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵ and a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵;

each R^{26} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, $(C_1$ - C_4 alkyl)-C(=O)- and $(C_1$ - C_4 alkyl)- $S(=O)_2$ -;

each R^{27} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^{26} and R^{27} on the same N atom are taken together to form a C_5 C_4 heterocycle containing 1–2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

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each R²⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, a C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a benzyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵; each R²⁹ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, OR²⁸, SR²⁸, S(=O)R²⁸, S(=O)₂R²⁸, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, NR²⁶R²⁷, acetyl, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, C(=O)OR¹³, C₁-C₆ alkyl, OCHF₂, SCF₃, OCF₃, and -C(=NH)NH₂, and 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

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alternatively, two R²⁹-substituted on adjacent atoms may be combined to form a 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical, wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical comprise 1 or 2 heteroatom(s) selected from O, S and N; wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical is substituted with 0-1 oxo;

alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5 to 7 membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

each R^{30} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{25} , and a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a 5—to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} :

and with the proviso that R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁸, and R⁹ are not all hydrogen.

2-3. (canceled)

4. (currently amended) The compound of claim 1, wherein÷ R¹ is a member selected from the group consisting of phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, furanyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, C₃ C₆ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, indolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, or 6 membered heterocyclyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, pyidazinyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, imadazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, thienyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, thiazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, pyrazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, isoxazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, tetrazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, oxazolyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, and pyridyl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}.

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5-6. (canceled)

7. (currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Ia:

wherein:

R¹ is a member selected from the group consisting of a C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{1b}, wherein said C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl is saturated or unsaturated and a C₄-C₇ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1e} and is saturated or unsaturated;

 R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{2a} , and a C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and

Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R²⁹, or alternatively, R²⁹ and R⁹ are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁹.

8. (currently amended) The compound of claim 7, wherein:

 R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a C_1 - C_2 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a} , and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl; a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)_2- and -NR^{17}-; and

each R¹⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, CN, C(=O)OR³⁰, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, NR¹¹R¹², a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the

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group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} and is saturated or unsaturated; and C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl.

9. (currently amended) The compound of claim 7, wherein said compound is of the formula:

10. (withdrawn, currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Ic:

wherein:

 R^{15} , a 5- to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0.2 R^{15} , and a C_4 C_7 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0.2 R^{16} ;

each R^{16} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, CI, =O, C₁-C₆ alkyl substituted with 0.2 R^{16} , a C₁-C₆ alkoxy, CF₃, OCF₃, C(=O) R^{10} ; $S(=O)_2R^{10}$, tBoc, Cbz, phenyl substituted with 0.3 R^{15} , and a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0.2 R^{15} ;

Y is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond and $-(CR^{20}R^{21})_m$ -W- $(CR^{22}R^{23})_p$ -, wherein m is 0, W is a bond, and $R^{22}R^{23}$ are both H;

R² is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5 to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said

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heteroaryl is substituted with 0.2 R¹⁵, a C_1 - C_6 alkyl, a C_1 - C_3 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a}, and a C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁹;

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each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6 membered monocyclic or 8- to 10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} , and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and

Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , or alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} .

11. (withdrawn, currently amended) The compound of claim 10, wherein: R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a C_1 - C_2 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a} , and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl; a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of $-O_7$, $-S_7$, $-S(=O)_7$, and $-NR^{17}$ -; and

each R^{18} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, CN, C(=O)OR³⁰, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, NR¹¹R¹², a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵ and is saturated or unsaturated; and C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl.

12. (withdrawn, currently amended) The compound of claim 10, wherein said compound is of the formula:

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13. (withdrawn, currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Id:

wherein:

R¹ is a member selected from the group consisting of methyl, benzyl, C₆-C₁₀ aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a}, and a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1- to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{1a};

each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR¹⁰, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)₂R¹⁰, NR¹¹R¹², acetyl, C(=O)OR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, and phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5 to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵; and a C_4 -C₄-alkyl; and

Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , or alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} .

14. (withdrawn, currently amended) The compound of claim 13, wherein: R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a C_1 - C_2 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a} , and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₃-C₇ cycloalkyl; a C₁-C₆ alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{18} , wherein said C₁-C₆ alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)₂- and -NR¹⁷-; and

each R¹⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, CN, C(=O)OR³⁰, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, NR¹¹R¹², a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the

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group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} and is saturated or unsaturated; and C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl.

15. (withdrawn) The compound of claim 13, wherein said compound is of the formula:

16. (currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Ie

wherein:

 R^{1} is a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1- to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} ;

each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR¹⁰, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)₂R¹⁰, NR¹¹R¹², acetyl, C(=O)OR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5—to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵, a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶ and is saturated or unsaturated, and a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶; and

Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , or alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} .

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17. (original) The compound of claim 16, wherein:

 R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a C_1 - C_2 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a} , and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl; a C_1 - C_6 alkyl, wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of $-O_7$, $-S_7$, $-S(=O)_7$, $-S(=O)_2$ - and $-NR^{17}$ -.

18. (currently amended) The compound of claim 16, wherein said compound is of the formula:

$$R^{1}\text{-}CHR^{23}\text{-}\overset{O}{C} - \overset{H}{N} - \overset{H}{\overset{}_{C}} - \overset{H}{\overset{}_{N}} - \overset{H}{\overset{N}} - \overset{H}{\overset{N$$

19. (currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Ia

wherein:

 R^{1a} is a member selected from the group consisting of C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , and a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1- to 4-heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} ;

each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR¹⁰, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)₂R¹⁰, NR¹¹R¹², acetyl, C(=O)OR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵; and a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁶;

R² is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵; a 5- to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said

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heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵, a C_1 - C_6 alkyl, a C_1 - C_2 alkyl substituted with 1 R^{2a}, and a C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁹;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} ; a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} ; a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and

Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , or alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} .

20. (currently amended) The compound of claim 19, wherein said compound is of the formula:

21-22. (canceled)

23. (currently amended) The compound of claim 1, according to formula Ig:

$$R^{1}-Y-X-N-C \xrightarrow{H} O \xrightarrow{R^{2}} H \xrightarrow{H} H \xrightarrow{H} H \xrightarrow{(R^{19})_{0\cdot 2}} R^{29}$$

Ig

wherein:

R⁵ is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₃-C₇ cycloalkyl, C₂-C₆ alkenyl, C₂-C₆ alkyne, phenyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵; 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵; and a C₁-C₆

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alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)₂- and -NR¹⁷-.

24. (currently amended) The compound of claim 23, according to formula Ih:

25. (original) The compound of claim 1, wherein R^9 is H; and Ar is phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , or alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} .

26. (canceled)

27. (currently amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising: a the compound of Formula I in claim 1:

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt <u>and an excipient.</u> or prodrug thereof, wherein:

R⁺ is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₆-C₁₀ aryl substituted with 0.3 R^{+a}, a.5 to 6 membered monocyclic or 8 to 10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0.3 R^{+a}, a C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl substituted with 0.2 R^{+b}, wherein said C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl is saturated or unsaturated; and a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0.2 R^{+c} and is saturated or unsaturated;

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each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 -cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR^{10} , SCH_3 , $S(=O)CH_3$, $S(=O)_2R^{10}$, $NR^{11}R^{12}$, acetyl, $C(=O)OR^{13}$, $C(=O)NR^{13}R^{14}$, $S(=O)_2NR^{13}R^{14}$, phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6 membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{16} and is saturated or unsaturated, and a C_4 - C_4 -alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{16} ;

each R^{1b} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, acetyl, =O, C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₄-C₆ alkoxy, CF₃ and OCF₃;

each R^{1e} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, CI, =O, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{16} , C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, CF_3 , CCF_3 , CCF_3 , CCF_4 - CCF_5 , CCF_5 ,

 R^{2} is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_{1} - C_{6} -alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{2a} , wherein said C_{1} - C_{6} -alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of O_{1} - O_{2} - O_{2} - O_{3} - O_{4} - O_{4} - O_{5} - $O_$

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6 membered monocyclic or 8- to 10 membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ; and a C_2 - C_{14} -bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^3 is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_+ C₊alkyl; subscript n is 0 or 1;

R⁴ is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C₁-C₆ alkyl;

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alternatively, R^2 and R^4 are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 -cycloalkyl substituted with $0.2 R^{19}$;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 -cycloalkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkyne, phenyl substituted with 0-2 R^{15} ; 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_1 - C_6 -alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 -alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_2 - C_3 - C_4 - C_5 -alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected

Y is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond and -(CR²⁰R²¹)_m-W-(CR²²R²³)_n-;

subscript p is 1 or 2;

subscript m is 0 or 1;

W is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond, O, S, S(=O), $S(=O)_2$ and NR^{12} ;

X is selected from the group consisting of C(=O), OC(=O), $NR^{24}C(=O)$ and $S(=O)_2$;

each of R^6 , R^7 , R^8 and R^9 is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 -alkyl;

alternatively, R⁵ and R⁷ are taken together to form a C₅-C₇ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁹:

alternatively, R⁵ and R⁹ are taken together to form a 6-7 membered heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

Ar is a member selected from the group consisting of phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} ; and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{29} ;

each R^{40} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_4 cycloalkyl, a C_4 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, a C_4 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{25} , a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{45} ; a 5- to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{45} , and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms

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each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1e};

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each R^{+1} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, 'BOC, Cbz, C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl, (C_4 - C_6 -alkyl) C(=O), (C_4 - C_6 -alkyl) $S(=O)_2$ - and a C_4 - C_6 -alkyl; each of R^{+2} , R^{+3} and R^{+4} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_4 - C_4 -alkyl;

alternatively, R¹³ and R¹⁴ on the same N atom are taken together to form a C₅-C₄ heterocycle containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

each R^{15} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, COOR 13 , C(=O)NR 13 R 14 , S(=O)₂NR 13 R 14 , acetyl, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)CH₃, NR 26 R 27 , C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkyl, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkoxy and a C₁-C₆ alkyl;

each R^{16} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, COOR 13 , $C(=O)NR^{13}R^{14}$, $S(=O)_2NR^{13}R^{14}$, acetyl, SCH_3 , $S(=O)CH_3$, $S(=O)_2CH_3$, C_4 - C_6 alkoxy, $NR^{26}R^{27}$, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} and is saturated or unsaturated;

 R^{17} is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl; each R^{18} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, C_1 , C_2 , C_3 perfluoroalkyl, a C_4 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, a C_4 - C_3 perfluoroalkoxy, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} and is saturated or unsaturated; and C_3 - C_8 -cycloalkyl;

each R^{19} is a independently a member selected from the group consisting of C_4 - C_4 alkyl, F, Cl and C_4 - C_4 alkoxy, CF_3 and OCF_3 ;

alternatively, two R¹⁹ on the same carbon may be combined to form C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl;

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each of R²⁰, R²¹, R²² and R²³ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a bond, H, F, OH, C₁-C₄ alkyl, and C₁-C₃ alkylhydroxy;

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alternatively, R^{20} and R^{24} or R^{22} and R^{23} are taken together to form a C_3 - C_6 eyeloalkyl;

R²⁴ is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C₊ C₄ alkyl;

each R²⁵ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₃ C₂ eycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0 3 R⁴⁵ and a 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl is substituted with 0 2 R⁴⁵;

each R^{26} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_4 alkyl, $(C_4$ - C_4 alkyl) C(=O) and $(C_4$ - C_4 alkyl) $S(=O)_2$;

each R^{27} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 -alkyl;

alternatively, R^{26} and R^{27} on the same N atom are taken together to form a C_5 C_7 heterocycle containing 1–2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

each R²⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, a C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0.3 R¹⁵, a benzyl substituted with 0.2 R¹⁵;

each R²⁹ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, OR²⁸, SR²⁸, S(=O)₂R²⁸, S(=O)₂R²⁸, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, NR²⁶R²⁷, acetyl, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, C(=O)OR¹³, C₁-C₆ alkyl, OCHF₂, SCF₃, OCF₃, C(=NH)NH₂, and 5 to 6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

alternatively, two R²⁹-substituted on adjacent atoms may be combined to form a 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical, wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical comprise 1 or 2 heteroatom(s) selected from O, S and N; wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical is substituted with 0.1 oxo;

alternatively, R²⁹-and R⁹ are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5 to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁹;

each R^{30} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 eycloalkyl, C_4 -alkyl substituted with 0.1 R^{25} , a phenyl substituted with 0.3 R^{45} , and a 5- to

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6 membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0.3 R⁴⁵; with the proviso that R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁸, and R⁹ are not all hydrogen; and an excepient.

28. (currently amended) <u>A pharmaceutical The composition comprising the compound of claim 38</u> of claim 27, wherein said compound is a member selected from the compounds of Table I.

29. (withdrawn) A method of selectively inhibiting cathepsin S activity in a mammal in need thereof, comprising administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of Formula I:

$$R^{1}-Y-X-N-C-[CH]_{n}$$
 R^{2} R^{4} R^{6} R^{8} R^{9} $N-C-C-N-Ar$ R^{3} R^{3} R^{5} R^{7}

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or prodrug thereof, wherein:

 R^{1} is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{1a} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{1b} , wherein said C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl is saturated or unsaturated; and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1c} and is saturated or unsaturated;

each R^{1a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, F, Cl, Br, CN, NO₂, OR¹⁰, SCH₃, S(=O)CH₃, S(=O)₂R¹⁰, NR¹¹R¹², acetyl, C(=O)OR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵, a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said

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heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1c} and is saturated or unsaturated, and a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{16} ;

each R^{1b} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, acetyl, =O, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, CF_3 and OCF_3 ;

each R^{1c} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, =O, C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{16} , C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, CF_3 , OCF_3 , $C(=O)R^{10}$, $S(=O)_2R^{10}$, tBoc, Cbz; phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} ; a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} ;

 R^2 is a member selected from the group consisting of a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{2a} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of -O-, -S-, and -S(=O)₂-, a C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, a C_2 - C_6 alkynyl, a C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} , wherein said C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from -O-, -S-, and -S(=O)₂-, and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

each R^{2a} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a C_6 - C_{10} aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered monocyclic or 8- to 10-membered bicyclic heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} , and a C_7 - C_{11} bicycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^3 is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl; subscript n is 0 or 1;

 R^4 is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_6 alkyl; alternatively, R^2 and R^4 are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

 R^5 is a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkyne, phenyl substituted with 0-2 R^{15} ; 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , a C_1 - C_6 alkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{18} , wherein said C_1 - C_6 alkyl optionally contains a heteroatom selected from the group consisting of $-O_7$, $-S_7$, $-S(=O)_7$, $-S(=O)_7$ and $-NR^{17}$ -:

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Y is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond and $-(CR^{20}R^{21})_m$ -W- $(CR^{22}R^{23})_n$ -;

subscript p is 1 or 2;

subscript m is 0 or 1;

W is a member independently selected from the group consisting of a bond, -O-, -S-, -S(=O)-, -S(=O)₂- and -NR¹²-;

X is selected from the group consisting of -C(=O)-, -OC(=O)-, $-NR^{24}C(=O)$ - and $-S(=O)_2$ -;

each of R^6 , R^7 , R^8 and R^9 is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^5 and R^7 are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

alternatively, R^5 and R^9 are taken together to form a 6-7 membered heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

Ar is a member selected from the group consisting of phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{29} , and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{29} ;

each R^{10} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, a C_1 - C_3 perfluoroalkyl, a C_1 - C_4 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{25} , a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} ; a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} , and a C_3 - C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{1c} ;

each R^{11} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, 'BOC, Cbz, C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl, $(C_1$ - C_6 alkyl)-C(=O)-, $(C_1$ - C_6 alkyl)-S(=O)₂- and a C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

each of R^{12} , R^{13} and R^{14} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^{13} and R^{14} on the same N atom are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 heterocycle containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

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each R^{15} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, COOR¹³, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, acetyl, -SCH₃, -S(=O)CH₃, -S(=O)₂CH₃, NR²⁶R²⁷, C₁-C₆ alkoxy, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkyl, C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkoxy and a C₁-C₆ alkyl;

each R^{16} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, $COOR^{13}$, $C(=O)NR^{13}R^{14}$, $S(=O)_2NR^{13}R^{14}$, acetyl, $-SCH_3$, $-S(=O)CH_3$, $-S(=O)_2CH_3$, C_1-C_6 alkoxy, $NR^{26}R^{27}$, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R^{15} , and a C_3-C_8 heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} and is saturated or unsaturated;

 R^{17} is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

each R^{18} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, OH, F, Cl, CN, NO₂, C(=O)OR³⁰, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, NR¹¹R¹², a C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkyl, a C₁-C₃ perfluoroalkoxy, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a C₃-C₈ heterocycle containing 1 to 2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heterocycle is substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵ and is saturated or unsaturated; and C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl;

each R^{19} is a independently a member selected from the group consisting of C_1 - C_4 alkyl, F, Cl and C_1 - C_4 alkoxy, CF_3 and OCF_3 ;

alternatively, two R^{19} on the same carbon may be combined to form C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl; each of R^{20} , R^{21} , R^{22} and R^{23} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of a bond, H, F, OH, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and C_1 - C_3 alkylhydroxy;

alternatively, R^{20} and R^{21} or R^{22} and R^{23} are taken together to form a C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl;

 R^{24} is a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl; each R^{25} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R^{15} and a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl is substituted with 0-2 R^{15} :

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each R^{26} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, $(C_1$ - C_4 alkyl)-C(=O)- and $(C_1$ - C_4 alkyl)- $S(=O)_2$ -;

each R^{27} is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H and C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

alternatively, R^{26} and R^{27} on the same N atom are taken together to form a C_5 - C_7 heterocycle containing 1-2 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

each R²⁸ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, a C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₃-C₈ cycloalkyl, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, a benzyl substituted with 0-2 R¹⁵; each R²⁹ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, F, Cl, Br, I, CN, NO₂, OR²⁸, SR²⁸, S(=O)R²⁸, S(=O)₂R²⁸, S(=O)₂NR¹³R¹⁴, NR²⁶R²⁷, acetyl, C(=O)NR¹³R¹⁴, C(=O)OR¹³, C₁-C₆ alkyl, OCHF₂, SCF₃, OCF₃, -C(=NH)NH₂, and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S;

alternatively, two R²⁹ substituted on adjacent atoms may be combined to form a 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical, wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical comprise 1 or 2 heteroatom(s) selected from O, S and N; wherein said 5 to 6 membered heterocyclic fused radical is substituted with 0-1 oxo;

alternatively, R^{29} and R^9 are taken together to form a 5- to 7-membered fused heterocyclic ring containing 1-2 heteroatom(s) each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S; wherein said 5 to 7 membered fused heterocyclic ring is substituted with 0-2 R^{19} ;

each R³⁰ is independently a member selected from the group consisting of H, C₃-C₇ cycloalkyl, C₁-C₄ alkyl substituted with 0-1 R²⁵, a phenyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵, and a 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl containing 1 to 4 heteroatoms each independently a member selected from the group consisting of N, O and S, wherein said heteroaryl is substituted with 0-3 R¹⁵; and with the proviso that R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁸, and R⁹ are not all hydrogen.

- 30. (withdrawn) The method of claim 29, wherein the cathepsin S inhibition constant for a compound of Formula I is less than $10 \, \mu M$.
- 31. (withdrawn) The method of claim 30, wherein the cathepsin S inhibition constant for a compound of Formula I is less than 1.0 μ M.

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32. (withdrawn) The method of claim 31, wherein the cathepsin S inhibition constant for a compound of Formula I is less than 0.1 μ M.

- 33. (withdrawn) The method of claim 29, wherein cathepsin S is selectively inhibited in the presence of at least one other cathepsin.
- 34. (withdrawn) The method of claim 33, wherein the inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I for said at least one other cathepsin is at least 10 times greater than a cathepsin S inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I.
- 35. (withdrawn) The method of claim 34, wherein the inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I for said at least one other cathepsin is at least 100 times greater than said cathepsin S inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I.
- 36. (withdrawn) The method of claim 35, wherein the inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I for said at least one other cathepsin is at least 1000 times greater than said cathepsin S inhibition constant of a compound of Formula I.
- 37. (withdrawn) The method of claim 29, wherein said compound is a member selected from the compounds of Table I.
 - 38. (new) The compound of claim 1, selected from the group consisting of:
- $(S)-N-\{1-[2-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$
- $N-(S)-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-4-phenoxy-benzamide;$
- $(S) \hbox{-} 3- Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-[2-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-acetylamino]-propionamide;$
- $(S)-N-\{1-[2-(5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl\}-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$
- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(7-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

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- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(7-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;
- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-cyano-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

Cyclopropanecarboxylic acid (S)-{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl}-amide;

- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(4-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;
- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;
- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;
- (S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-benzyloxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;
- N-{1-(S)-[2-(4-Methoxy-phenylamino)-propylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl}-3-methyl-benzamide;
- N-{1-(S)-[2-(4-Methoxy-phenylamino)-1-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl}-3-methyl-benzamide;
- $N-\{1-(S)-[2-(4-Methoxy-phenylamino)-1-(S)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$
- $N-\{1-(S)-[2-(4-Methoxy-phenylamino)-1-(R)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$
- $N-\{2-Cyclohexyl-(1S)-[2-(4-methoxy-phenylamino)-(1R)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$
- $N-\{(1S)-[2-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1,1-dimethyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-2-phenyl-ethyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$
- N-{1-(S)-[1-(R)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(4-methoxy-phenylamino)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl}-3-methyl-benzamide;
- N-(S)-{[1-(R)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl}-phenyl-methyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

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N-[1-(S)-[1-(R)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-2-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-ethyl]-3-methoxy-benzamide;

 $N-\{1-(S)-[(2-Benzyloxy-1-(R)-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-cyclohexyl-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(R)-hydroxymethyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-(R)-[(S)-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(R)-hydroxymethyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

(S,S)-5-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-4-[4-methyl-2-(3-methyl-benzoylamino)-pentanoic acid benzyl ester;

(S,S)-5-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-4-[4-methyl-2-(3-methyl-benzoylamino)-pentanoic acid;

 $(S,S)-N-\{1-[3-Carbamoyl-1-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-propylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$

 $(S,S)-N-\{1-[1-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-3-ureido-propylcarbamoyl]-3-methyl-butyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$

(S,S)-3-[4-Cyclohexyl-2-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-butyrylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid benzyl ester;

(S,S)-3-[4-Cyclohexyl-2-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-butyrylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid;

 $(S,S)-N-\{1-[1-Benzyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-cyclohexyl-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $(S,S)-N-\{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[1-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-3-methyl-butylcarbamoyl]-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $(S,S)-N-\{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[1-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-2-methyl-propylamoyl]-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $(S,S)-N-\{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-phenyl-thylcarbamoyl]-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

N-{l-(S)-[2-(R)-Benzyloxy-l-(R)-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-l-ylmethyl)-propylcarbamoyl]-3-cyclohexyl-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

 $N-\{1-(R)-[1-(R)-Benzylsulfanylmethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3-cyclohexyl-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

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(S,S)-[5-[4-Cyclohexyl-2-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-butyrylamino]-6-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-hexyl]-carbamic acid benzyl ester;

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-(2-fluoro-biphenyl-4-yl)-propionamide;$

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-p-tolyl-propionamide;$

N-{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl}-2-o-tolyl-propionamide;

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-propionamide;$

 $2-(4-Chloro-phenyl)-N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-propionamide;$

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-(R)-phenyl-propionamide;$

 $N-(S)-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-3-methyl-benzamide;$

 $N-(S)-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-4-(methanesulfonylamino-methyl)-benzamide;$

 $N-(S)-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-3-methanesulfonyl-benzamide;$

 $N-(S)-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-4-methanesulfonylamino-benzamide;$

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-(4-hydroxy-phenyl)-propionamide;$

4-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(S)-(2-(R)-phenyl-propionylamino)-butyramide;

 $N-\{2-cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-2-(R)-phenyl-butyramide;$

 $N-\{1-(S)-[1-(R)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl\}-2-cyclohexyl-ethyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $N-\{2-Cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(R)-hydroxymethyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

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 $N-\{1-(S)-[1-(R)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-\\ethylcarbamoyl]-3,3-dimethyl-butyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $N-\{1-(S)-[2-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(R)-hydroxymethyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3,3-dimethyl-butyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

3-(S)-(2-(S)-Benzyloxycarbonylamino-4,4-dimethyl-pentanoylamino)-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid tert-butyl ester;

3-(S)-(2-(S)-Benzyloxycarbonylamino-4,4-dimethyl-pentanoylamino)-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid;

4-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-3-(S)-[2-(S)-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-4,4-dimethyl-pentanoylamino]-butyric acid tert-butyl ester;

3-(S)-[3-Cyclohexyl-2-(S)-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-propionylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid benzyl ester;

3-(S)-[3-Cyclohexyl-2-(S)-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-propionylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid;

4-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-3-(S)-[2-(S)-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-4,4-dimethyl-pentanoylamino]-butyric acid ethyl ester;

 $N-\{1-(S)-[2-Cyano-1-(S)-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-3,3-dimethyl-butyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

 $N-\{1-(S)-[5-Amino-1-(S)-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-pentylcarbamoyl]-3-cyclohexyl-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$

3-(*S*)-(2-(*S*)-Benzyloxycarbonylamino-3-cyclohexyl-propionylamino)-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid benzyl ester;

1-(*S*)-[1-(*R*)-Benzyloxymethyl-2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-2-cyclohexyl-ethyl}-carbamic acid benzyl ester;

N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-(S)-[2-(3,5-dimethoxy-benzyloxy)-1-(R)-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-ethylcarbamoyl}-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

 $4-\{2-(R)-[4-Cyclohexyl-2-(S)-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-butyrylamino]-3-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-propoxymethyl\}-benzoic acid methyl ester;$

(S,S)-N-{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(4-hydroxy-benzyl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-propyl}-3-methoxy-benzamide;

{2-Cyclohexyl-1-(*S*)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(*S*)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl}-ethyl}-carbamic acid benzyl ester;

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4-Benzyloxy-N--(R,S)-{[2-(4-amidinophenylamino)-1-(S)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-(2,4-dichloro-phenyl)-methyl}-benzamide;

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 $\{1-(S)-[2-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(S)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3,3-dimethyl-butyl\}$ -carbamic acid benzyl ester;

Cyclopropanecarboxylic acid $\{1-(S)-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-(S)-methyl-ethylcarbamoyl]-3,3-dimethyl-butyl\}-amide;$

(S,S)-2-(3-Chloro-benzenesulfonylamino)-3-cyclohexyl-N-[1-methyl-2-(4-trifluoromethoxy-phenylamino)-ethyl]-propionamide;

(S,S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[1-methyl-2-(4-trifluoromethoxy-phenylamino)-ethyl]-2-(3-trifluoromethoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;

 $N-((S)-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl) (cyclohexyl)\ methyl)-3-methylbenzamide;$

N-((S)-1-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)-2-(2-chlorophenyl)ethyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

N-((S)-1-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)-2-(3-chlorophenyl)ethyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

N-((S)-1-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)-2-(4-chlorophenyl)ethyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

(S)-N-{2-Cyclopentyl-1-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethylcarbamoyl]-ethyl}-3-methyl-benzamide;

N-((S)-1-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)-3, 3-dimethylbutyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

 $N\hbox{-}((S)\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}(2\hbox{-}(5\hbox{-}fluoroindolin\hbox{-}1\hbox{-}yl)ethylcarbamoyl)\hbox{-}3\hbox{-}cyclohexylpropyl)\hbox{-}3\hbox{-}methylbenzamide};$

N-((S)-1-(2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)-2-phenylethyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

N-(R,S)-((3-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)-1-hydroxypropan-2-(R)-ylcarbamoyl)(2,4-dichlorophenyl) methyl)-3,4-difluorobenzamide;

N-(S)-((3-(benzyloxy)-1-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)propan-2-(R)-ylcarbamoyl)(2,4-dichlorophenyl)methyl)-3,4-difluorobenzamide;

(R,S)-N-((2-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)ethylcarbamoyl)(2,4-dichlorophenyl)methyl)-3-methylbenzamide;

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- (S,S)-N-((3-(5-fluoroindolin-1-yl)-1-hydroxypropan-2-ylcarbamoyl)(2,4-dichlorophenyl)methyl)-3,4-difluorobenzamide;
- (S,S)-4-(5-Fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-3-[2-(3-methoxy-benzoylamino)-4,4-dimethyl-pentanoylamino]-butyric acid;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(5-isoxazol-3-yl-thiophene-2-sulfonylamino)-propionamide;

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- (S)-2-(3-Biphenyl-4-yl-ureido)-3-cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(4-phenoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(naphthalene-1-sulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(4-trifluoromethylbenzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(4-trifluoromethoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-[4-(4-fluoro-phenoxy)-benzenesulfonylamino]-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(4'-methoxy-biphenyl-4-sulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- $(S) \hbox{-} 3- Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(4-methoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;$
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-2-(4-difluoromethoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-phenylmethanesulfonylamino-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(toluene-3-sulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-[4-(4-methoxy-phenoxy)-benzenesulfonylamino]-propionamide;
- (S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-ethyl]-2-(3-methoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;

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(S,S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-methyl-ethyl]-2-(toluene-3-sulfonylamino)-propionamide;

(S,S)-3-[4,4-Dimethyl-2-(toluene-3-sulfonylamino)-pentanoylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid tert-butyl ester;

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- (S,S)-3-Cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-methyl-ethyl]-2-(3-trifluoromethoxy-benzenesulfonylamino)-propionamide;
- (S,S)-2-(3-Chloro-benzenesulfonylamino)-3-cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-methyl-ethyl]-propionamide;
- $(S,S)-N-\{3-Cyclohexyl-1-[1-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-ylmethyl)-3-hydroxy-propylcarbamoyl]-propyl\}-3-methoxy-benzamide;$
- (S,S)-3-[4,4-Dimethyl-2-(toluene-3-sulfonylamino)-pentanoylamino]-4-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-butyric acid;
- (S,S)-2-Benzenesulfonylamino-3-cyclohexyl-N-[2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-methyl-ethyl]-propionamide; and
- (S,S)-4,4-Dimethyl-2-(toluene-3-sulfonylamino)-pentanoic acid [2-(5-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-1-methyl-ethyl]-amide.